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In re Application of)
Ray W. Hathaway) Group: 3731
Serial No.: 10/080,490)
Filed: February 22, 2002)
Title: ORTHOPAEDIC REAMER WITH SEE-) Examiner: J. Baxter
THROUGH VIEWING WINDOWS)

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Responsive to the Final Office Action dated December 13, 2004, Applicant hereby
submits the following Amendment.

The following sections are included herewith:

- Remarks
- Attachment A

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From: Stephen D. Horchem

RE: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/080,490
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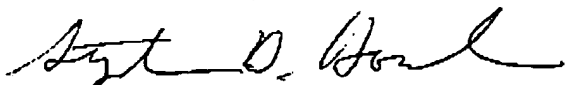
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	2	MINUS	3	0	x \$42 x \$84	0.00
FEE FOR MULTIPLE CLAIMS \$130/\$260						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$0.00

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Respectfully submitted,


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